

Directors Meeting 1/28/97

7:12P.M.

First meeting at Redemption Church.

To date, we have the new room for all year. The only exception would be if the church would need the room for a special church function.

We discussed how the new room should be arranged.

Board meetings will remain on Mondays and at members QTH's. A sign up sheet was passed around.

Concern was expressed about security of the church while we are having club meeting down stairs.

Ken Eggert will check our insurance to see if we are covered in the event that there is a theft or a liability suit.

The club now has 186 members.

Roger suggested the the office in charge of membership should contact those who have not paid their dues, to find out why.

47 members have not paid their dues.

Final decision was to let Kate handle the contacts to unpaid members any way she see's fit.

Ken gave a treasurers report.

VEC fund will pay for the clubs WSYI bulletin subscription, \$24 per year.

Pancho will put some copies of articles from the WSYI bulletin in the Chatter.

School? No school at this time.

80th year special event? No decision at this time.

Meeting adjourned at 9:40

Respectfully submitted,

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

Directors Meeting

2/24/97

Meeting was called to order at 7:13 a Ed's QTH.

Missing---- Fred, Carlos, Jerry.

Treasurers report from Ken --- see attached report.

Ed gave a report on MRAC sponsored VE testing at AES. And that future testing will be at AES from now on instead of Methodist Manor on 84th and Oklahoma.

Ed would like to have an old timers night at a future club meeting. The guys over 60 should answer the questions from the younger members. Make it a fun night, with food served to the members and no raffle that night. Also show some old time equipment and technology and old test equipment.

Dick suggest that we have a session on proper operating techniques at a club meeting.

What about our 80th birthday???????? No decisions.

Roger feels that club meetings (the business portion) should be held with more formality.

Dave--- No school, But maybe have a code class over the repeater.

When we do have school it would be for no-code tech. for now. The other classes of license, only if more than 5 or 6 people sign up. These higher level class could be taught with tapes like the no-code tech.

We need a new possible location where we can hold classes.

We have 186 members 14 life members do not pay
172 last year .

Meeting adjourned at 9:46P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

137
16 life

Directors Meeting

MRAC

3/24/97

The meeting was called to order at 7:24 @ Fred Linn's QTH.

Missing were, Pancho and Carlos.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as written.

Treasurers report-- We are -\$53.21 in the hole in the MRAC fund. Total liquid assets including the VEC fund is \$1535.70.

Our clubs CD's will be coming due soon. We will have approximately \$2000.00 available to us soon. Interest only? ~~or principal and interest?~~

Ed says 466-HAMS has been getting a lot of calls--- several have been from out of state. Most people are looking for testing info. The cost of 466-HAMS has been split 30% to MRAC and 70% to VEC. The brag tape on the answer machine is updated once a week.

Jerry suggested that we have a MRAC VEC test schedule (sign) on the counter at AES.

Dave mentioned that he has been providing Pancho with ham related news that he has been copying from the internet for use in the Chatter. Dave also passed around a list of future topics to be discussed at club meetings.

Ed says he will do the next club meeting about oscillators and grid dip meters and Fred will do a short session on old time transmitters and receivers.

Kate says she has made arrangements to have the next meeting topic for April on a weather program and related ham radio activities. Kate will invite other clubs to come to this.

Jim says that in May we are scheduled to go back to the CAF to see the airplane again at Crites Field.

Jim and Fred will work together to set up a code program to teach code from the very basic's to 13 WPM.

Ed asked Roger and Fred to form a committee to research what the club could do to celebrate our 80th birthday. Jim volunteered to help setup whatever event they come up with.

Kate says that 3 members renewed, 8 said no and the rest had their answer machines on when she called to find out why they haven't renewed the membership in the club.

Ed says that we should send cards or flowers to our club members that are in the hospital.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

MRAC BOARD MEETING

AGENDA

DATE: Monday, April 21, 1997

PLACE: Ken Eggert's QTH
2815 Santa Barbara Drive
Brookfield

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

- 1)** Election of three board members - Outgoing board members are Poncho, Dick and Jerry. Nomination Chair for April/May election - Dave DeFebo. Poncho will run again. Dick and Jerry would like to step down. They will remain as circulation committee for the *Chatter*, however.
- 2)** Also - we are looking for a replacement director for Carlos. He has asked to drop out. Any ideas? I can appoint a person if I can find one.
- 3)** May meeting information from Jim - Meeting is at Crites Field in Waukesha. We need to talk it up and help Jim with it.
- 4)** June Field Day information- We need a chairperson. Jim and I will, of course, help. (How about the rest of you?)
- 5)** MRAC repeater - What next? How can we keep it on the air? New location, PL, new receive site?
- 6)** AES Testing information - Next session at Superfest Saturday, May 3 - 9:30 a.m. till noon.

Note: Club Meeting
Thursday, April 24, 1997
At Redemption Church
7:30 p.m.
Program will be on weather

Directors Meeting
4/21/97

The meeting was called to order at 7:10P.M. at Ken Eggert's QTH.

Missing ~~WERE~~ Carlos and Jerry.

The minutes from the previous meeting were read and corrected as follows: The Treasurers report was in error-- The interest coming from our CD's will not be \$2000.00 as stated. Ken will study the figures and report at the next directors meeting as to the exact amount.

Treasures report as of 4/21 is MRAC funds are -\$68.36 in the hole. Liquid assets are \$2033.76 including the VEC fund plus the CD's.

Ed reports that there are still a few members who have not renewed. A list of their names was passed around so we could see who they are and if we knew any of them personally. Ed says a few that he knew could not come for health reasons and some no longer wanted to be members due to being very active in other interest.

We are still looking for members to run for director at the May club meeting. Everyone thought Rick Kissel would be a good choice. Ed also has to appoint someone to replace Carlos because he can no longer participate as a director. Ideas?!! Ed suggested that we make a list prior to Thursdays club meeting so we know who to ask.

*See
addition
below*

Field Day preparations must get under way. This years Chairman will be Dick KA9MTY. The usual gang will help, including Jim WB9LNU and Fred W9NZF and ED W9PWG. \$300.00 was allocated to the event for bathroom facilities and food supplies. Gas and equipment will be donated to the cause by Jim WB9LNU.

Repeater report. The cavities need some tweaking. Other wise all is O.K. Kate will check on prices for a alternate receive site and related equipment that the 91 group may know about.

AES VEC testing on May 3rd from 9:30 to 12:00 and we are all expected to pitch in.

We will have a table at the Super Fest and Ed would like some club pictures on display and information on how to join the club.

Roger says that there may be more equipment for the raffle ~~THAT~~ will come from Travis's garage.

Ed gave us a report on the latest VEC stories and happenings.

Meeting adjourned at 9:05.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

— Post meeting information from our president. —

As per article 5 section 5 and Article 4 section 8
Our president has appointed Don Virlee to fill the
balance of Carlos' term of office, until June 1998.

MRAC BOARD MEETING

AGENDA

DATE: Tuesday, May 27, 1997

PLACE: Jim Tromblay's QTH
W298 S2727 Ridgewood Drive
Waukesha

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

NOTES: See enclosed map
Simplex 147.940 - Call in frequency
Let's carpool - (Fred / Roger / Ed / Ken) & (Jerry / Dick / Don Virlee)

- 1) Election at our Thursday meeting.
- 2) Thursday meeting at the airport.
- 3) Appointment of Don Virlee - our new appointed director - who will be taking the place of Carlos who had to step down.
- 4) Dayton Convention - Ken & Ed.
- 5) Field Day - Dick & Jim.
- 6) Repeater Data - Ed.
- 7) VEC group and problems with computer.

Directors Meeting
5/27/97

The meeting was called to order at 7:20P.M. at WB9LNU's QTH.
Absent was Jerry WA9SFH.

Don Virlee was present for his first directors meeting.
The previous minutes were read and approved as written.
Treasures report--- \$1560.00 in liquid assets. Plus the CD's.

A report from Jerry via Ed that we have 160 paid and life members. Ed went over the list again of the members who did not renew their membership. Some were drop outs from school and others were too busy to participate and yet others are unknown.

Jerry would like to start a list of " E- Mail " address to publish in the next roster for any member who wants to give theirs.

Ed reminded everyone that Thursdays meeting will have the election and that Dave will be sure that only club members vote due to the fact that we will be at the CAF hanger and guest will also be present.

Don was welcomed to our group.

CAF info was discussed.

John KB9POX will be looking into the South Shore Yacht Club for the Xmas party. \$15-20 for a dinner. Ed wants to make a reservation by the end of June or early July to be sure that we have a place reserved.

Ed and Ken reported on their trip to the Hamvention at Dayton, Ohio. There was 27,000 people there.

Field Day Dick and Ken will handle the food supplies.
Jim and Ed will bring the club equipment.

Jim gave a club repeater report. Ed is checking on a voting system to add additional receiver sites to the system. Kate says there may be room for a receive site on the UPS tower if we want to pursue the idea.

Roger suggested that we supply Radio Recyclers with more HamChatters to give out.

Ed gave the latest VEC report and talked about the latest problems the FCC is having with their computer and the problems he is having with his computer. The FCC changed their E-Mail address and he didn't know it.

The club school. Everyone feels that this is still the way to bring in new members to the club. And that we still should charge \$15.00 to be a member and then the course is free to members. The no-code tech should now be taught with a video and teacher input over a 3 or 4 class period followed by a test by a VE team. Code classes should be done over the repeater with MCW. The contents of the code class and methods are yet to be determined. The method however, will be at the discretions of the person teaching that particular session.

The meeting adjourned at 9:47.

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

MRAC BOARD MEETING

AGENDA

DATE: Monday, June 23, 1997

PLACE: Dave DeFebo's QTH
S67 W12620 Larkspur Road
Muskego

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

NOTES: See enclosed map
Simplex 147.940 - Call in frequency
Let's carpool!

- 1)** Welcome new directors
- 2)** Field Day last minute stuff - Dick
- 3)** Thursday meeting
- 4)** Badge laminator
- 5)** VEC report - (New test July 1) - Ed
- 6)** Chatter Poncho needs help - Poncho
- 7)** Secretary and Treasurer Report - Jim and Ken

MRAC Directors Meeting
6/23/97

Meeting was held at Dave's QTH WB9BWP

The meeting was called to order at 7:16P.M.

Absent ---- Roger W9UVV

Ed started the meeting by welcoming the new board members and explained how a directors meeting is run.

The previous meeting minutes were read and approved as written.

Ken explained the Treasury system to the new directors and reported that we have \$1513.27 in liquid assets plus the CD's.

A discussion about the clubs monies and questions were asked by Ed and a request by the President that the directors make an effort to question the membership on new things that they would like to do. Example: Donate money to a video tape fund in a program involving Milwaukee schools as suggested by Rick.

Ken started a discussion on meeting places and there cost to the club. Redemption Church at this moment is our best option. Ken also started a discussion with input from Kate as to the sound policy of maintaining or club CD's which Ed pointed out came from many efforts of previous administrations.

Field Day report by Jim --- All is ready.

Ed will do the meeting program this week. It will be on oscilloscopes and some history about them.

Dave is arranging for programs at the next two meetings.

Don will take charge of the club name badges. Jerry WA9SFH will continue to make the badge and the roster. The board authorized Don to purchase a laminator.

Rick has suggested that an abbreviated minutes of a board meeting might be of interest to club members in the Chatter.

Ed ask the board what we should do to celebrate our clubs 80th birthday? He also suggested that we celebrate it at our Xmas party.

Rick will look into lapel pins, how much etc:

Ed asked what should be done to update our clubs stationery.

VEC will have it's national convention in July. Ed will attend. At the convention the FCC plans to air out some new ideas that they have. Ed will report on this when he returns. Ed also thanked Kate for her outstanding efforts in helping the VE program administer test.

The club inventory was discussed and updated. The inventory was written by WB9LNU and kept in the Secretary files.

Dave asked if we should sell the club's Heathkit radio's and buy some newer ones. The subject was left for further discussion at a later date.

The meeting adjourned at 9:35.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

MRAC Board Meeting Agenda

Date: August 25, 1997
Place: Roger Zaun's QTH
4902 W. Parkview Drive
Mequon
Time: 7:00 p.m.

Let's Car Pool!

- 1) December 14th Birthday Christmas Party. What can we do to make it special?
Money (of course!) - How much is the question.
- 2) Milwaukee's new tower ordinance. How should the Club get involved? Rick Kissell's efforts. The board backing of a tower team.
- 3) Communications between area amateur clubs. How, who, when should MRAC start the ball rolling?
- 4) How can we foster better communications between our own 165 members? ,
- 5) *Chatter* - Poncho, Jerry and Dick team.

This should take all night so bring your sleeping bag! Don't bring your boat because Roger is apt to send you up the river!

Bypass on hold! - (My new closing - Put on your thinking caps as to what I mean by this)

'73

Ed

Pancho

Sept. Chatter

MRAC Directors Meeting

8/25/97

Note: There was no directors meeting in July.

The meeting was held at Roger Zaun's, W9UVV, QTH.

The meeting was called to order by our President at 7:18 P.M.

Absent were Fred, W9NZF and Matt, KB9PRC.

Guest: Jerry WA9SFH.

Treasurers Report: Liquid assets \$2055.00 less CD's.
Total \$14,055.00

The subject of buying a newer radio with automatic antenna tuning for field day and use as a club station at the meetings was discussed. The clubs Heathkit tube radio seems to be a problem for our new Hams with regards to proper tuning. Roger, W9UVV, suggested that the club purchase the Kenwood 430 with auto tune from the estate of George Philbert KA9MXM. The board after much discussion decided to purchase to Kenwood along with all of it's accessories. Jerry Thompson will make the transaction.

The Christmas Party was discussed. Ed, our President would like to honor those club members who have put lots of time and effort into making our club run in some special way at the party. Further discussion on this at the next meeting.

The subject of a guest speaker at the party was discussed. A thought of inviting other Radio Club Presidents to get to know them and see if there is some way that our clubs could work together was discussed.

Prizes and gifts were discussed, but no firm plans have been made. Our President would like to have all plans for the party wrapped up by the end of the October Directors meeting.

\$100.00 has been paid to Aliota's to reserve the hall for Dec. 14th.

Jim, WB9LNU, has suggested that we consider a different food menu than we have used for the last few years. Ed asked Jim to put his suggestions in writing for the next meeting.

Our President would like a list of all the radio clubs in the area and the officers who run the clubs. He says he would like to see if we could foster better relations with all the Hams in the area. Dave, WB9BWP, and Kate, KA9MWT, will make the list.

Rick, WB9GYT, gave us the latest information on what is happening with the City of Milwaukee's new tower ordinance. Dave, WB9BWP, says we could possibly use this tower ordinance problem as a way to get the area clubs together. Rick feels that the club should develop a mailing to all 850 Milwaukee Hams and try to generate some interest in the problem. He also suggested that included in the mailing should be an invitation to come to our 80th Christmas party and to become a member of MRAC. Rick will talk with the City Attorneys office as first step and inform them of Federal Law PRB-1 and see if there is any interest or response to this. Rick says that he has discussed the situation with the editor of Smoke Signals and with the Alderman's office that proposed the bill and there has been no response to put a exemption for Hams, in light of PRB-1. More on this at the next meeting.

Ed asked for suggestions again on how to foster better communications and activity between MRAC's own members. Rick, WB9GYT, suggested that we take pictures of our members in their Ham shacks and print the picture along with some information about the member in the Chatter. Maybe do a couple every month.

The joke of the evening.

As we were talking about robberies and damages to our Ham equipment. Pancho says, " If someone would break into my house, they would open the door and say. Oh!! Someone else has been here already," and leave.

The Board requested that Jerry make a new club roster for 1998. So the Chatter address section will have a address change notification request to the post office for the next two months just to see that all the address are accurate. Pancho will put a request in the Chatter also, asking that all members who have new addresses, to please let us know.

Our President asked the Board to please consider making a donation to Redemption Church for the use of their hall. A small amount would be O.K. Maybe \$100.00. No decision was made.

Dave will design a new letter head for the clubs stationery.

The meeting adjourned at 10:15.

A tour of Roger's ham shack and show and tell on his new homebrew receiver followed.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

Directors Meeting

9/22/97

The meeting was held at Ken's QTH.

Absent Kate KA9MWT.

Minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved as written.

Treasurers report. Ken transferred our \$3000 CD which just came due to our money market acct. and general fund so we can pay for our new club radio and cover our immediate expenses of our Christmas party. Present liquid assets are \$1261.70 Repeater \$307, VEC \$1900+. Details are in the September Treasurers report in the Secretary files.

Corrected
After talking
to Roger
W9AVV,

A discussion and decision was made to sell the clubs tube type Heathkit radio. The sale will be in the next Chatter. The radio will go to the highest bidder with the minimum price starting at \$~~125~~.00. This is a super mint radio with matching power supply and speaker. All specs and information will be in the next Chatter.

Ed W9PWG, our President, would like a program at a future meeting on how to correctly operate the clubs new TS-430.

The Board has decided to donate \$200.00 to Pioneer Village for the use of the RR station on Field Days and \$100.00 to Redemption Church for the meeting hall.

It was voted unanimously that Jim WB9LNU will be the clubs custodian and record keeper of club property.

The Music has been arranged for the Xmas party. It will be the same people as last year.
The menu will be a Chicken, Fish and Beef choice.

Mat KB9PRC, Rick WB9GYT, and Fred W9NZF have volunteered to help this years Xmas party Chairman with all the trimmings. We are checking with John KB9POX to see if he would like to be Chairman.

Prizes will be 25 Poinsettia Plants. And special MRAC pins. However, these plans may still change prior to the party. The cost for this years party ticket will be \$16.00 per person. Donations of prizes, as in years past are also possible.

The board directed Pancho the start with next years membership renewal forms in the Chatter.

The Secretary will start sending generic letters to new area Hams and people who renew or update their license. The letter will invite them to attend a club meeting or check in on the Friday net or come to the Breakfast club on Saturday.

The next Chatter will have a short article on how to run the Friday night net. Some members hinted that they would try and run the net if they had a guide line on how to do it.

The meeting adjourned at 9:55. A tour of Ken's shack followed. And a request from Ken to help him finish all the treats.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

Added per Rick.

People who used to be Club members will be sent a questionnaire on why they no longer come to club meetings.

MRAC BOARD MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Monday, October 27, 1997
PLACE: Rick Kissell's QTH
2409 W. Oklahoma
Milwaukee
TIME: 7:00 p.m.

- 1) Report by Ken, Ed and Jim on 80th Birthday - Christmas Party ✓
- 2) Thursday, October 30 Club meeting on radio
- 3) November Club meeting date ✓
- 4) MRACschool in spring of '98? ✓
- 5) VEC testing
- 6) New meeting events for '98 ✓
- 7) 28 members over 80 years old ✓

Thanks to Rick for hosting the October board meeting. Who would like to host it in November?

~~15.00
31.90
46.90~~

APL + Greg + Donation

*CW 43
146.1 simple*

MRAC Board Meeting

10/27/97

Rick Kissell's QTH

The meeting was called to order at 7:08 P.M.

Absent: Don and Ken

The previous meeting minutes were read and approved as written. Rick says he thought that we also discussed that we should send a questionnaire to past members and ask why they no longer come to the club. No exact format was decided. And no directions were given to the Secretary to proceed.

The Treasurers report from Ken and given by Ed due to Ken's absence. Liquid Assets \$ 3,222.43 Plus the CD's.

Rick suggested that we change the minutes that are printed in the Chatter so they are not such dry reading. In other words, not so direct as the official version, he feels that some of the humor at the meeting should be presented as well. Rick offered to write this version for the Chatter.
Ed says that Pancho could use the help of a proof reader prior to having the Chatter printed. The club is looking for a volunteer. This job does not have to be done by a club officer.

Ed -- Robert Beckman WDFFIS, passed away at age 62. Ed sent flowers on behalf of the club.

Xmas party update. Rick says he is still working on the club lapel pins. Ed asked if anyone else had any other ideas. Further discussion is needed at a later date.
Roger suggested that we ask for the music during dinner be played at a lower volume so we can hear each other better. And then turn it up during the sing along and dancing.

Ken and Matt will handle the reservation check at the door to the Xmas party and issue the prize tickets. 1 ticket per couple.

No guest speaker as of yet. Pancho suggested the guy that does the Menards commercials on TV. He is a Wisconsin Ham. Ed says he will give him a call.

The club will send invitations to other Club Presidents to come to our Xmas party. They will have to pay for their dinner, however.

Ed will purchase the 25 plants for the dinner which will later be used as some of the prizes. The prize tickets will be 1 per couple. There will be no cash prizes this year.

Ed says he is still trying to get a date set at the Church for the November club meeting.

A discussion about having a MRAC school this spring. No decision was made. Ed asked AES if they could supply a room? No answer was given.

The new club radio was discussed and Ed had transparencies made of the basic instructions so we can use them for a teaching aid at the meetings.

Dave says that schooling at the club meetings may be a way to get more members and new comers to attend.

The meeting adjourned at 9:25.

Thanks to Rick for the treats and a look at the hole he is digging for his new self supporting tower.

*Jim WB9LNU
Secretary*

MRAC BOARD MEETING

Date: Monday, November 17, 1997

Place: Ed Wille's QTH
7835 W. Caldwell Court
Milwaukee, WI 53218

Time: 7:00 p.m.

AGENDA

- 1) Meeting on Thursday, November 20th ✓
- 2) Christmas Party on December 14th ✓
 Mayor Norquist ✓
- Club pins ✓
- Flowers ✓
- Speaker - *Cancelled* ✓
- 3) VEC Program and Testing sessions
- 4) What next year?
- 5) *Chatter* help

Directors meeting

11/17/97

Ed's QTH

Meeting was called to order at 7:11 P.M.

Absent--- Rick, Matt.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as written.

Treasurers report. Liquid assets \$2841.89 Total \$14,316.82

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Matt has volunteered previously to help Ken with the name tags at the party. The board decided that only one gift ticket will be given to each couple that comes. This way everyone has a chance to go home with something. Other gifts will be wine and special crafts made by Jim's wife Diane. Also any donations that we may receive.

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There will be a 1/4 barrel of beer.

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Final

MRAC Christmas Party
December 14, 1997

Alioto's near Hwy. 100 and Burleigh

This years Christmas dinner will be Alioto's Special Buffet consisting of Roast Beef, Au Jus Baked Chicken, Baked Cod, Almondine, Mixed Vegetables, Buttered New Potatoes and Mostacciali with Tomato Sauce

Included with the above Buffet choices is an Assorted Relish Tray, Assorted Jello Molds, Tossed Green Salad with Dressing, Italian Bread and Butter, Coffee, Tea or Milk and Ice Cream. Beer and Soda will be provided by the club. Mixed drinks will be available at the bar at your expense.

The total per person is \$15.95.

The entertainment will be from the same group that we had last year.

Please send for your dinner reservations A.S.A.P.

All dinner ticket request should go to the club Treasurer, Ken Eggert W9MOT 2815 Santa Barbara Dr. Brookfield, Wi. 53005-3711 or to the clubs P.O. Box no later than November 30

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

P.S.

Pancho!! Please use your ingenuity and make a dinner reservation slip and put it in this months and next months Chatter so our members can include it with their check to Ken.

Thanks

Hospitality
Come @ 6:00
Dinner @ 6:30

Original

MRAC Christmas Party

December 14, 1997

Alicoto's near Hwy. 100 and Burleigh

The dinner will be Alicoto's Special Buffet consisting of Roast Beef, Roast Turkey with Sage Dressing, Green Beans Almondine, Mixed Vegetables and Whipped Potatoes with Brown Gravy.

Included with the Buffet is an assorted Relish Tray, Assorted Jello Molds, Tossed Green Salad with Dressing, Italian Bread and Butter, Coffee, Tea or Milk and Ice Cream. Beer and Soda will be provided by the club. Mixed drinks will be available at the bar at your expense.

The total per person is \$15.95.

The entertainment will be from the same group that we had last year.

Please send for your dinner tickets A.S.A.P.

All dinner ticket request should go to the club Treasurer, Ken Eggert W9MOT 2815 Santa Barbara Dr. Brookfield, Wi. 53005-3711 or to the club P.O. Box no later than November 30.

Jim WB9LNU
Secretary

Pancho!! Please make some kind of blank ticket form and include it with this months and next months Chatter so the members can include it with their request and check to Ken.

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SPECIAL DINNER BUFFET

(Minimum of 60 People)

Choice of Two of the Following Entrees:

Baked Chicken

Baked Ham

Barbecued Ribs

Baked Cod, Almondine

~~Roast Turkey, Sage Dressing~~

Roast Beef, Au Jus

Baked Lasagna

Chicken Cacciatore

Baked Haddock Florentine

Pork Roast, Sage Dressing

Italian Sausage, Green Pepper

Tenderloin Tips, Buttered Noodles

\$11.50

Steam Ship Round of Beef

carved at table by Chef

with your choice of one of the above

add 50¢

Choice of Three of the Following:

(add 50¢ for each additional choice)

Chilled Potato Salad

Mexicana Corn

Pasta Salad

Mixed Vegetables

Oven Baked Beans

Green Beans Almondine

Whipped Potatoes with Brown Gravy

Buttered New Potatoes

Assorted Cheese and Cracker Tray

Fresh Fruit Tray

Mostaccioli with Tomato Sauce

Vegetable Rice Medley

Included With This Buffet:

Assorted Relish Tray

Assorted Jello Molds

Tossed Green Salad, Dressing

Italian Bread and Butter

Coffee, Tea or Milk

Sheet Cake or Ice Cream, if you supply the cake

*If any additional entree is desired,
there is a \$1.50 charge per person per entree.*

*Credit cards will not be accepted as payment for parties.
Prices do not include tax or 15% gratuity.*



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DINNER BANQUET MENU

Choose One or Two Entrees for the Entire Banquet

MEATS

T-Bone Steak, Fresh Mushrooms with Au Jus, 16 oz.....	15.95
New York Strip Steak, Fresh Mushrooms with Au Jus, 12 oz.....	14.95
New York Strip Steak, Fresh Mushrooms with Au Jus, 16 oz.....	17.95
Roast Prime Rib of Beef, Au Jus	King 18.95
Roast Prime Rib of Beef, Au Jus	Queen 16.95
Queen Size Filet Mignon, Fresh Mushrooms with Au Jus, 9 oz.....	13.50
Baked Stuffed Pork Chop, Brown Gravy, Applesauce	11.50
Tenderloin Tips, Bed of Noodles (10 order minimum)	10.95

Tenderloin Sandwich, Served Open Faced on Toast, Salad, Choice of Dressing, French Fries, Beverage.....	8.95
FRIDAY ONLY	

POULTRY

Roast Tom Turkey, Homemade Bread Dressing, Giblet Gravy (20 order minimum).....	10.95
Baked One-Half Chicken with Cranberry Sauce	10.50
Baked Cornish Hen, Homemade Bread Dressing.....	11.95
Baked Breaded Stuffed Breast of Chicken Ala Kiev	10.95
<i>On a Bed of Rice Pilaf Served with Carrots</i>	
Breaded Stuffed Breast of Chicken Cordon Bleu	11.50
<i>On a Bed of Rice Pilaf Served with Carrots</i>	
Baked Breaded Chicken Parmesan, Served with a side of Mostaccioli	10.95
Roast Young Duckling, Wild Rice, Cumberland Sauce.....	14.50
Chicken Normandy (<i>Boneless Chicken Breast Stuffed with Homemade Bread Dressing, Mushroom Gravy</i>)	10.95

SEAFOODS

Fresh Salmon on a bed of Angel Hair Pasta with Dill Sauce	14.95
Deep Fried Breaded Shrimp, Cocktail Sauce.....	14.95
Fresh Broiled Boneless Whitefish Filet, Tartar Sauce and Lemon Wedge	13.95
Baked Cod, Served with Tartar Sauce.....	10.50
Orange Roughy, Tartar Sauce and Lemon Wedge	12.95
Lobster Tails (2 6-oz. South African Tails), Drawn Butter, Lemon Wedge.....	Market Price
Cod Florentine, Spinach and Cheese Stuffing	12.50

Fish Fry, Family Style, Cole Slaw, French Fries, Beverage, FRIDAY ONLY (For parties of 30 or less)	8.95
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SPECIALTIES OF THE HOUSE

Sicilian Steak, Breaded 8 oz. Tenderloin with a side of Mostaccioli	13.95
Breaded Sicilian Spiedini, with a side of Mostaccioli.....	13.95
Choice of Sirloin En Brochette, Wine Sauce, on a Bed of Rice Pilaf	12.75
Vegetable Platter, Broccoli, Mushroom, Carrots, Cauliflower, Tomato with Parmesan Cheese	10.50

Complete Dinners include:

Salad, Choice of Dressing, Whipped, Baked or Buttered New Potatoes

Italian Bread and Butter and Coffee, Tea or Milk

Dessert: French Vanilla Ice Cream, Sherbet or Sundaes

(Rice or Mostaccioli is served in lieu of Baked Potatoes with certain Entrees)

We also have available for you the following:

French Onion Soup, Chicken Rice Soup, Vegetables or

Double Baked Potato at 1.50 per person.

(Vegetables available are Honey Glazed Carrots, Peas with Mushrooms, Green Beans Almondine or Mexicana Corn)

Prices do not include tax or 15% gratuity. Deposits are not transferable or refundable.

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